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SUBJECT: COUP ATTEMPT IN BENIN

REF: LOME 2591

PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO STRAUSS FROM CANADIAN HIGH COMMISSION:

"YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO PROCEED TO BENIN AS SOON AS FEASIBLE. DRIVER AND CAR WILL BE DESPATCHED WHEN WE HAVE RECEIVED CONFIRMATION FROM YOU OR U.S.A. AUTHORITIES IN ACCRA THAT BORDER HAS BEEN REOPENED AND CURFEW LIFTED. MARCOUX." SMITH

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